

Please amend the present application as follows:

**In the Claims**

The following is a marked-up version of the claims with the language that is underlined ("\_\_\_") being added and the language that contains strikethrough ("——") being deleted:

1. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of A  
~~method for providing interactive media services in a subscriber network television~~  
~~system, the method comprising the steps of:~~  
~~receiving a first user input from a remote control device indicating a user's desire to~~  
~~select an item of displayed media content information; and~~  
~~receiving a second user input from the remote control device indicating the user's desire~~  
~~to dragging the item~~ is responsive to receiving the second user input within an interval of  
time determined by a programmed timer of the media content information to a destination  
~~desired by a user.~~

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, ~~further comprising~~ wherein the  
~~step of receiving a third~~ the second ~~user input is received while the first user input is~~  
~~received corresponding to a change in direction of the displayed media content~~  
~~information item.~~

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, further comprising the step of receiving  
a third and ~~fourth and fifth~~ user input corresponding to the cessation of the first user input

and the second user input, respectively, to release the ~~displayed media content~~  
~~information~~ item at a displayed graphical container ~~the destination desired by the user.~~

4. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~16~~, further comprising the step of displaying the movement of the ~~displayed media content information~~ item as the item is dragged ~~second user input is received.~~

5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~16~~, wherein the step of dragging ~~receiving~~  
~~a second user input~~ further includes the step of creating a visual effect of picking-up the  
selected ~~media content information~~ item.

6. (Currently Amended) A method for providing interactive media services in a client  
device coupled to a subscriber network television system, the method comprising the  
steps of:  
responsive to a first user input, selecting an item in a displayed television signal on a  
screen, wherein the item represents media content having program information; and  
responsive to a second user input, dragging the item away from a first visual location in  
the displayed television signal. ~~The method of claim 1,~~ wherein the step of dragging  
~~receiving the second user input~~ further includes the steps of storing the screen  
coordinates of the first visual location ~~original residence~~ of the ~~media content~~  
~~information~~ item and storing ~~coordinates the television~~ screen coordinates of the  
~~media content information~~ a second visual location of the item as the item is dragged  
across the ~~television~~ screen in a memory in the client device.

7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of storing includes  
~~further comprising the step of~~ storing defining the screen coordinates in reference to an as  
absolute screen origin ~~coordinates~~.

8. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of storing includes  
~~further comprising the step of defining~~ storing the screen coordinates as a change in the x-  
~~axis and y-axis of the television screen relative~~ in reference to an origin corresponding to  
the coordinates of the ~~original residence~~ first visual location of the ~~media content~~  
~~information item~~ in the screen.

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9. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 46, further comprising the step of retrieving  
the program information corresponding to a media content information item and its  
~~corresponding the media content~~ associated with the item from the memory of the client  
device information from the original residence of the media content title.

10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising the step of storing a  
second instance of the retrieved media content program ~~information from the original~~  
~~residence and storing the media content information in the memory in~~ of the client device.

11. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising the step of  
identifying associating the original residence a location in the memory of the client device  
of the ~~media content~~ program information corresponding to the media content associated

with the item in ~~with a pointer and storing the pointer in a memory in of the client device.~~

12. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, further comprising the steps of storing at least one media graphical icon, representing the selected ~~media content information~~ item with a corresponding displayed media graphical icon, and storing visual location ~~screen the original residence coordinates and movement coordinates~~ of the media graphical icon in a the memory in the client device.

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13. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 12, further comprising the step of emulating the movement of the media graphical icon corresponding to the translated ~~media content information~~ item by updating the visual location of the media graphical icon on the ~~television~~ screen repeatedly.

14. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 12, further comprising the step of changing the features of the media graphical icon depending on the ~~media content information~~ item type and the ~~media content information~~ item location on the television screen.

15. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, further comprising the step of dropping off the dragged ~~media content information~~ item in at least one graphical container displayed in at least one television screen.

16. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 15, further comprising the step of browsing a list of ~~media-content information~~ items located in the graphical container.

17. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 15, further comprising the step of activating an operation ~~by~~ responsive to dropping off the dragged ~~media-content information~~ item into a graphical activation container.

18. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~15~~17, wherein the activating step further includes at least one of the following: activating a reminder timer and activating a media recording.

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19. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~16~~, further comprising the step of displaying the ~~media-content information~~ item.

20. (Original) The method of claim 19, wherein the displaying step is configured by a local client device.

21. (Original) The method of claim 19, wherein the displaying step is configured by a remote server.

22. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~16~~, further comprising the step of providing feedback to the user in response to at least one of the ~~receiving~~ selecting and dragging steps.

23. ~~A system for providing interactive media services in a subscriber network television system, the system comprising:~~  
~~a memory for storing logic; and~~  
~~a processor for executing the logic stored in memory, such that the logic is configured to generate a user interface on a screen, wherein the screen is responsive to user input, such that the logic is configured to cooperate with the remote control device to cause an item of media content information to be selected and translated across the screen. The system of claim 26, wherein the logic is further configured to drag the menu item responsive to receiving the second user input within an interval of time determined by a programmed timer.~~

 24. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the second input is received while the first input is received ~~further comprising a media graphical icon that visually represents the media content information item on the display screen.~~

25. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the logic is configured to media graphical icon includes changing change features of the media graphical icon depending on ~~the media content information menu item type and the media content information menu item location on the display television screen.~~

26. (Currently Amended) A system for providing interactive media services in a client device coupled to a subscriber network television system, the system comprising:  
a memory for storing logic; and  
a processor for executing the logic stored in memory, such that the logic is configured to generate a user interface on a television screen, wherein the television screen is responsive to user input, such that the logic is configured to cooperate with the remote control device to cause a menu item to be selected, picked up, and translated across the television screen.

~~The system of claim 23,~~ wherein the memory further comprises the television screen

coordinates of a first visual location ~~the original residence~~ of a the picked-up ~~menu~~media content information item and a corresponding media graphical icon and ~~the display~~ television screen coordinates of a second visual location as the ~~media content information menu~~ item and the media graphical icon ~~the media content information item and the media graphical icon~~ are moved across the ~~display~~ television screen.

27. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the television screen coordinates are stored as at least one of ~~the following~~: absolute screen coordinates and ~~coordinates relative~~ screen coordinates ~~to the original residence of the media graphical icon and the media content information item.~~

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28. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the memory further comprises a media content title and its corresponding ~~media content title~~programming information.

29. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, further comprising at least one graphical container on the ~~display~~ television screen, wherein the graphical containers represent destinations for at least one of the moved ~~media content information menu~~ items.

30. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 29, wherein the graphical containers include browsable list entries for the ~~media content information menu~~ items.

31. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 29, wherein the logic is configured to ~~graphical containers have~~ alterable features of the graphical containers to that provide feedback when the ~~media content information~~ translated menu item on the ~~television~~ screen is spatially close to the graphical container.

32. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 29, wherein at least one of the graphical

containers include graphical activation containers for enabling operations on the ~~media content information~~ menu items.

33. (Original) The system of claim 32, wherein the graphical activation containers include a reminder timer container and a media content recording container.

34. (Cancelled)

35. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 34~~26~~, wherein the logic is configured to ~~displayed origin has~~ alterable features of the menu item at the first visual location to ~~that~~ provide feedback to a user when ~~a media content information~~ the menu item on the television screen is selected.

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36. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 34~~26~~, wherein the ~~displayed origin menu~~ item at the first visual location includes at least one of the following: a table with entries and a graphical icon.

37. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 23~~26~~, wherein the remote control device further comprises at least an activation button and at least one arrow key.

38. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 37, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the pressing of the activation button to select a menu item, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal corresponding to the concurrent pressing of the activation button and the at least one ~~of the~~ arrow keys while the activation button is pressed to cause ~~a corresponding media content information item pick-up and translation movement of the menu item~~, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signals from the remote control device corresponding to a subsequent deactivation of the activation button and the at least one arrow key to cause ~~a corresponding media content information~~ the menu item to be dropped in a graphical container ~~movement completion~~.



39. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 37, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signals from the remote control device corresponding to quickly repeated pressing of the activation button and releasing the activation button to cause the commencement of a movement mode, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device after commencement of the movement mode, wherein the signal corresponds to a subsequent pressing of the at least one of the arrow keys, wherein the logic, responsively to the signal corresponding to the pressing of the at least one arrow key, causes the ~~media-content-information item~~ movement of the menu item, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the subsequent pressing of the activation button to cause the ~~media-content-information menu item~~ to be dropped in a graphical container ~~movement completion.~~



40. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 37, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to an extended duration single pressing of the activation button and subsequent release of the activation button to cause the commencement of a movement mode, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the pressing of the at least one of the arrow keys to cause the ~~media-content-information item~~ movement of the menu item, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the subsequent pressing of the activation button to cause the ~~media-content-information menu item~~ to be dropped in a graphical container ~~movement completion.~~

41. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 37, wherein the remote control device further includes a movement mode button, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the pressing of the movement mode button to commence the movement mode, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the

pressing of the at least one ~~of the~~ arrow keys to cause the ~~media content information item~~ movement of the menu item, wherein the logic is further configured to receive a signal from the remote control device corresponding to the pressing of the activation button to cause the ~~media content information~~ menu item to be dropped in a graphical container ~~movement completion~~.

42. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 37, wherein the remote control device further includes a second activation button configured by the logic to commence the ~~media content information~~ menu item movement, and a third activation button configured by the logic to cause the~~media content information~~ menu item to be dropped in a graphical container ~~movement completion~~.

43. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the logic is implemented in a remote server.

44. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~23~~26, wherein the logic is implemented in local client device.

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